

COMMITTEES PUT ON FINAL TOUCHES

Arrangements for Patriotic Celebrations in This City Tomorrow Completed.

GREAT CROWD IS EXPECTED

Addresses to be Given in Afternoon and Evening at Park—Three Bands Engaged.

Merchants to Decorate.

The committee on decorations asks that each merchant in the city decorate his place of business tomorrow with flags, bunting and National Colors. Flags should also be exhibited from the residences. It is the aim of the committee to have the business district well decorated in honor of Company K, Second Indiana Infantry, and each business man is asked to co-operate.

The various committees were putting on the final touches today for the big Patriotic Demonstration in this city tomorrow. A meeting of the general committee was held at the city building last night and the reports were encouraging. A great day has been arranged and it is expected that a throng of visitors will spend the day here. The transportation lines have made arrangements for special service during the day.

Tomorrow will be a big day for Company K, composed largely of Seymour and Jackson county youths. It is stated that about sixty or seventy-five men will arrive here shortly after 9 o'clock in the morning, the others to remain at the camp in Jeffersonville as guards. The company under the command of Captain O. B. Abel, will leave their special car at Bruce street and will march through the business section. An escort of Boy Scouts will accompany the honor guests in the parade.

Three bands will furnish music during the day. The Seymour Concert Band will assemble at the city building at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. The Second Indiana Infantry Regimental Band will also come here from Jeffersonville during the morning and will play throughout the day. Announcement was made last night by W. L. Johnson, chairman of the program committee, that the Reddington Band would also play. This band has played here a number of times and local people are glad that it has been secured for tomorrow.

Several means will be adopted tomorrow to boost the mess fund for Company K. Several young ladies have consented to conduct a stand at the corner of Chestnut and Second streets and will also assist in conducting the tag day. The young ladies are: Misses Helen Mack, Mary Lee Galbraith, Katherine Hancock, Ethel Rottman, Marion Mains and Rebecca Dixon. Candy, popcorn, sandwiches and ice cream cones will be sold at the stand.

The Boy Scouts will assist in selling the tags for the company fund. It is believed that several hundred dollars can be raised tomorrow for this fund.

Company K will give exhibition drills on the streets during the day.

REBEKAH LODGE PLANNING FOR OUTING AT PARK

Will Entertain Their Members and Families with Picnic to be Held on Labor Day.

The Rebekah lodge of this city is planning to hold a picnic at Shields park Labor Day, Monday, September 3. At the regular meeting Thursday evening a committee was appointed to make plans for holding the outing and arrange an interesting program for the members and their families. The committee expects to have the plans completed in a few days and the program will be published in this paper.

Advertise in the Republican. It pays.

35 RECOMMENDED FOR EXEMPTION

County Exemption Board will File Recommendations with the District Board at Vincennes.

SEVERAL DENIED EXEMPTION

Local Board not Ready to Make Public Names of Men Who Have Been Denied Exemption.

The Jackson county exemption board today announced the names of thirty-five men that will be submitted to the district exemption board, in session at Vincennes, for exemption. In their claims for exemption all of the men asked to be relieved from service on account of dependency.

While the board has acted on several claims that have been denied exemption, they are not as yet ready to make the names public. However, they expect to begin notifying the men who were refused exemption to that effect within a few days.

The names of the thirty-five men who have been recommended for exemption by the local board up until this afternoon are as follows:

- 15—275 Chas. Otto, Seymour, 6.
- 32—1546 Jno. W. Disney, Seymour.
- 40—486 Wm. M. Sparks, Seymour.
- 52—1763 Wilbur Brandt, Seymour.
- 58—1014 Alva C. Reynolds, Sparksville.
- 97—223 Everett Coryell, Crothersville.
- 113—983 Orville Cox, Seymour.
- 116—868 Meade McKain, Cortland.
- 130—1647 Harvey A. Lucas, Seymour.
- 164—1211 Clarence E. Childers, Norman.
- 258—1057 Edw. F. Dobkins, Seymour.
- 443—1606 Carl R. Switzer, Seymour. (Enlisted.)
- 159—770 Clint Durham, Seymour.
- 181—440 Wm. Eggersman, Seymour.
- 193—269 Whitaker L. Anderson, Seymour.
- 376—8 Everett G. Lee, Medora.
- 380—1660 Paul G. Brunow, Seymour. (Enlisted.)
- 312—656 Lee Simmons, Seymour.
- 302—1151 Andrew Brandt, Seymour.
- 348—1179 Wm. F. Heiwig, Seymour.
- 317—738 Virgil Duncan, Brownstown.
- 296—321 Jessie Stanfield, Seymour.
- 236—664 Wright Payne, Seymour.
- 230—1617 Barney M. Spillman, Seymour.

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BOARD MEMBER WILL MAKE FIRST ROLL CALL

Men Caught in First National Army Draft Will be Called Together in County.

The final duty of one member of the county exemption board will be to get the men caught in the first draft assembled together and call the roll to see if all men accepted are present. He will then entrain the men for Indianapolis and upon arrival there again call the roll before turning the men over to the proper authorities to begin their training for the army service.

Just which one of the members will have this honor has not been decided as yet, but in all probability it will be Sheriff H. L. McCord. According to the information given out now, the men will be called for September 5.

The local exemption board is working as fast as possible each day in going over the exemption claims and taking the proper action on each. The work of the board now is wholly private and no one is allowed in the room where the work is going on.

One of the big duties that confronts the board members each day is hearing the appeals of men who want to be exempted or parents who have sons caught in the first draft and they think for some reason or other that they should not be made to serve their country, one member of the board was heard to say this morning.

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Program For Patriotic Day

Morning Program.

- 9:15—Concert on streets by Seymour Concert Band.
- 9:30—Company K and Second Regimental Band will form in line of march on Chestnut street at Bruce street and will march on Chestnut to Second, thence on Second to Ewing, countermarching on Second to Walnut street where they will disband. Boy Scouts will act as Escort.
- 10:15—Regimental Band will give concert on the stage on West Second street between Chestnut and Walnut streets.
- 11:15—Drill by Company K on West Second street.
- 12:00—Dinner for Company K, Regimental Band and visiting Sammies at New Lynn Hotel.

Afternoon Program.

- 12:45 to 1:30—Concert by Seymour Concert Band on the streets.
- 1:30—Company K, escorted by Seymour Concert Band, will march to City Park.
- 2:00—Concert by Seymour Concert Band at the band stand at Shields Park.
- 2:30—Addresses by Prof. G. I. Christie and others.
- 3:00—Concert on Second street stage by Reddington Band.
- 4:00—Concert by Regimental Band on Second street stage.
- 4:35—Exhibition drill by Company K.
- 5:15—Supper for Soldiers.

Evening Program.

- 6:35—Regimental Band will form in line of march at New Lynn Hotel and march to Shields park and give a concert until the hour of the address.
- 7:30—Address by William Jennings Bryan.

ALL MEN MUST BE CALLED IN ORDER

Exemption Claims Must be Determined Before Additional Registrants are Summoned.

ORDER TO THE LOCAL BOARD

Must Certify Those Who Claim no Exemption Promptly, Provost-Marshal Declares.

The county exemption board is required to pass on all exemption claims entered by the men in the first group to be examined before they can issue a call to a second group, according to an order that has been issued by the provost-marshal general. It is stated that in some districts the boards have been accepting men who did not claim exemption, having the exemptions to be determined later. The provost-marshal says that this practice is not authorized or legal. In effect, the says, this is received only volunteers.

The local exemption board is now giving attention to exemptions, but cannot finally pass on them as they are appealed to the district board.

The new order of the provost-marshal reads:

"Reports received concerning a few local boards are to the effect that these boards are proceeding to call throughout the whole list of persons registered, then to certify up only those who claim no exemption, regardless of whether their order of obligation places them within the

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FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT FOR THREE GENERATIONS

Three Different Equipments Purchased in the Past Thirty-seven Years by City.

The fire fighting equipments used in Seymour for the past thirty-seven years are now kept at the city fire department. The first hose cart and fire engine owned by the city, which was purchased by the city over thirty-seven years ago is the oldest equipment in the department. The hose and ladder wagon purchased when the local fire department was organized eleven years ago represents the second generation of the Seymour fire department.

The new auto fire truck which is used exclusively for fire-fighting purposes, that was purchased by the city council a few weeks ago, is the latest addition for the city's protection from disastrous fires.

The horse-drawn fire truck which was discarded for the new and up-to-date motor truck is in fair condition and there is some talk among the council members of having the body placed on an auto truck chassis and put back in service, using two trucks in the city department.

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STORY OF POISON PLOT IS RELATED

Someone with Ability of a Novelist Weaves Fabric of a Thrilling Tale of Fiction.

PRINCIPALS ARE NOT FOUND

"Suspicious Character" Supposed to Have Fallen Victim in Trap He Set for Others.

Since the United States became involved in the world war the rumor factories have been working overtime. Every community has one or more of these factories and the one in this vicinity has been in almost constant operation. Many strange stories have been related here recently and some of them have apparently carried all the marks of authenticity until an investigation was started and then most of them have culminated in the same way.

Practically all the "thrillers" are told without the names of the principals or the exact location where the incident is supposed to have taken place. One of the best products of the local rumor factory has just been released and has gained wide circulation, although it is absolutely without foundation.

According to the nice, little tale a stranger called at a farm house "in this vicinity" and wanted his dinner declaring that he was tired and hungry. The gracious housewife was preparing a meal for the

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E. V. CLOW HOME DAMAGED BY FIRE THIS MORNING

Blaze Started in Dresser and Is Believed to be Due to Spontaneous Combustion.

Fire which resulted in a damage of \$400 started in a dresser at the home of E. V. Clow, corner of Laurel and O'Brien streets this morning shortly after 11 o'clock. The exact origin of the fire is unknown but is believed to be due to spontaneous combustion.

The city fire department was called to the scene and through the firemen's hard efforts further damage to the building was prevented. Household contents and clothing were destroyed to the extent of \$200 and it is believed that it will take \$200 to repair the damage done to the building.

The dresser, in which the fire started was completely destroyed. Fire Chief Everhart was unable to get any clue as to the exact cause of the fire. None of the family had been in the room where the dresser was for several hours before it was discovered on fire.

The damage is covered with insurance.

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POPE EXPLAINS PLEA FOR PEACE

Papal Secretary of State Issues Statement Dealing with Four "Fundamentals."

SUGGESTIONS BY PRESIDENT

Disarmament and Freedom of Seas First Proposed by Wilson in Speech to the Senate.

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Rome, August 24.—The United Press was authorized today by the papal secretary of state to make the following statement:

"The first two points in the pontifical appeal for peace, treating respectively of disarmament and freedom of the seas were suggested by President Wilson's well known message to the senate. Consequently, we are inclined to believe that they will now find on the part of the American people the same reception that they enjoyed when President Wilson proclaimed them at the capital.

"The third and fourth points, wherein mutual condonation of war expenses and damages, as well as mutual restitution of occupied territories, were proposed, were formulated from public speeches recently delivered by statesmen of the different belligerent nations and from resolutions passed by their respective parliaments. Therefore, these same statesmen cannot refute them now without contradicting themselves. Moreover, it is necessary to remark as to condition of damages caused by the war that there is an exception applying particularly to Belgium.

"The holy sea wishes to emphasize the fact that the appeal was not suggested by any of the belligerent powers. Finally the holy father said nothing about democracy and the democratization of any government, because history teaches us that a form of government imposed by force of arms cannot and does not live and out of respect to the free will of the people themselves who have the right of universal suffrage may choose whatever form of government they please.

GREAT IMPORTANCE SEEN IN POPE'S EXPLANATION

Held to be Most Important Move to End the War Yet Made by a Neutral Power.

(By J. W. T. Mason, written for the United Press.)

New York, August 24.—Pope Benedict's explanation through the United Press of his peace plea is the most important move to end the war that any neutral power has yet made. Because it endorses, at least by inference, the all important demands of the allies for restoration. In this new statement the pope intimates that damage inflicted on Belgium must certainly be made good and possibly the damage on other territories as well.

WAR CREDIT TO RUSSIA

\$1000,000,000 Loan is U. S. Answer to Rumors of Russian Collapse.

By United Press. Washington, August, 24.—The United States government today extended a further credit of \$100,000,000 to Russia. This was the government's answer to rumors that a Russian collapse was imminent. Russia's credit is now \$275,000,000. Plans for furnishing vast supplies have been completed.

Shipping Program.

By United Press. Washington, August, 24.—Nearly \$2,000,000,000 for 1,272 ships aggregating 7,968,000 tons is the United States shipping program to beat the submarine, it was officially announced today.

Cantata.

The children of the Woodstock Sunday School will give a cantata at the church Sunday evening entitled, "Uncle Sam's Parade." The public is invited to attend.

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FRENCH ADVANCE ON VERDUN SECTOR

Official Statement Declares That French Forces Now Dominate Hill 304.

CANADIANS IN HARD BATTLE

Continue to Press Forward Toward Important French Coal Center of Lens.

By United Press.

London, August 24.—French troops advanced more than a mile further in the Avocourt Wood and Dead Man's Hill in resumed fighting of the great Verdun offensive. The war office announced the new victory.

It was stated also that the French now occupy all of Hill 304.

The allied eyes were turned to Russia again today. Germany was driving powerfully toward Riga. A number of Petrograd dispatches admitting considerable advance in this offensive suggested the possibility that the government would move from Petrograd to Moscow. Petrograd is less than four hundred miles from Riga, and the Baltic seaport is one of the key cities to the capital. Russian advances characterized the front situation as grave, but not necessarily without hope.

In sanguinary fighting, Canadian troops in the outskirts of Lens pressed still further into the French coal city today.

"South of Lens there was fierce fighting," Field Marshal Haig reported, "as a result of which we hold German trenches immediately west of Green Crassier."

"The enemy losses were particularly heavy," the statement declared.

NEGRO TROOPERS RIOT AT CAMP LOGAN, TEXAS

Houston Under Martial Law While Search for Dead and Wounded Proceeds.

By United Press.

Houston, August 24.—Houston was under martial law today while the search for the dead in the rioting last night of members of the Twenty-fourth U. S. infantry, a negro regiment, at Camp Logan, the new National cantonment for Illinois troops.

The known dead were twelve early today, but many more are believed to have been killed. The dead are white men, civilians, police officers and National Guardsmen.

Upwards of a score of persons, men, women and children, were wounded. It is not yet known how many negroes were killed.

Dallas, August 24.—Houston police early today notified Dallas officials that "a number" of armed negro soldiers of the Twenty-fourth United States infantry who rioted last night at Camp Logan near Houston, were on their way to Dallas. The negro soldiers made their escape on a Houston & Texas Central train, according to the Houston police. It was not stated why the troops were coming to Dallas. Police reserves were rushed from here to Hutchins, twelve miles south of Dallas to meet the negro soldiers and arrest them.

REGULAR ARMY SOLDIERS TO AID HOUSTON CITIZENS

Illinois Troops Guarding Street Cars, Alleys and Streets Leading to Camp Logan.

By United Press.

Houston, August 24.—Regular army soldiers from Galveston are on their way to Houston to assist citizens and National Guardsmen in preventing a renewal of the rioting by negro soldiers that last night resulted in the death of fourteen white and two negroes. The city was under martial law while Illinois troops guarded street cars, alleys and every street leading to Camp Logan, north of the city where the rioting started.

While no violence was reported today, excitement was running high. Expulsion of the negro regiment was demanded in street meetings.

The trouble started, according to

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quota, leaving the claims of exemption undecided or merely formally allowing all of them without discrimination.

"In effect this course permits volunteering among registrants. This method is illegal and unauthorized. All registrants stand on an equality before the law except as the law decrees an inequality. The law decrees an inequality only where exemption boards, after properly exercising their functions, have granted exemptions or discharges. Furthermore, the method results in calling men for military service out of their order.

"Local boards should certify those who claim no exemption rapidly, but they should also act on claims for exemption rapidly and within the time prescribed by regulations, and certify the cases at once. District boards should also certify promptly to local boards those who claim no exemption, but they should also act promptly on the cases of those who do claim exemption, and especially on the cases of persons whose order of obligation is early. The first 30 per cent. of the quota may be composed of men whose cases are decided, although the case of persons of prior obligation are still

pending in the district board, but great care must be taken by the local board to send no one to military duty whose order of obligation is so late as to make it improbable that he will be within the total quota.

"By September 19, when the second call is made there will be enough appealed cases and cases within the exclusive jurisdiction of the district board decided to make up the second 30 per cent. from men whose order of obligation is early, and who are hence sure to be within the quota. The same will be true of the 30 per cent. to be furnished on October 3. The last 10 per cent. must be selected with great care to be sure that no one in the whole quota is sent for military duty while a selected person with an earlier order of obligation for military service is allowed to remain at home."

"The Mingling of the Flags" by Francis Wells of Battery F, will be played tonight at the benefit performance at the Princess theatre. "Hank" was recently offered a New York music school scholarship. His ability in phrasing is receiving special commendation from well known critics.—Bloomington Telegram.

Young Wells is well known in this city, having furnished music for several dances and also visited here on numerous occasions.

FRENCH-CANADIAN IS BIG PROBLEM FOR DOMINION

Most of Them are Opposed to Conscription and are Supporting Conservative Candidate.

By United Press.

Ottawa, Canada, August 24.—The French-Canadian is the unsolved riddle of the Dominions. To the British colonist the attitude of the French-Canadian during the war has been inexplicable. The mass of the French Canadians are opposed to conscription. So bitterly are they opposed to it that threats of armed and organized resistance have been freely made by street speakers in Montreal.

"The Nationalist element in French-Canadian politics, led by Henri Bourassa, the brilliant publicist and editor of Le Devoir, a Montreal daily, not only oppose conscription but frankly advocate a policy of the withdrawal of Canada from continued active participation in the war as a fighting force. They dream of a day when a French republic will arise on the shores of the St. Lawrence, within whose borders the civilization and ideals of the French-Canadian may be logically developed.

The French-Canadian has had no active connection with France for over 150 years. He points out that his association with the mother country then is about as close as the connection between New England and Great Britain. When France broke with the Vatican the Republic shattered its last live connection with the strongly Catholic inhabitants of Quebec. Likewise he has no blood relationship with Great Britain. The call of motherland, that brought thousands of boys with British blood in their veins, thrilling to the recruiting stands, left him cold.

He is primarily a Canadian of Quebec. His interests are first with his province. Living intensively he does not recognize or acknowledge the propriety of any demand upon him for personal participation in the conflict. "Canada," said Bourassa, "has already made a military display in men and money proportionately superior to that of any nation engaged in the war."

"An increase in our war expense will spell national bankruptcy and threaten the economic life of the nation and eventually its independence. Conscription means strife

and disunion in Canada. It will hurt the cause of the Allies to a greater extent than it will help."

"If the United States does as much as Canada has done in proportion to our wealth and population, they will have to raise an army of 6,000,000 men."

The French-Canadian points out that the British colonist is not enlisting as a Canadian but as a Britisher. The French-Canadian regards himself as the only simon pure Canadian.

"Conscription" declared Bourassa recently, "may mean a second Mexico north of the 45th and 49th parallels."

SEYMOUR LAD HELD FOR FAILURE TO REGISTER

William Jarvis Claims that He Was Not Twenty-One Years Old At Time of Registration.

The Indianapolis Star this morning contained an article stating that William Jarvis, son of John Jarvis, of Seymour, had been arrested at New Albany yesterday, for failing to register. Young Jarvis told the officers making the arrest that he was not old enough to register, giving his birthday as June 18, 1896. According to the date of birth given by the young man he did not become twenty-one years old until thirteen days after the national registration day. The parents who reside in this city state that their son gave his correct age to the officers and they have family records to prove it. They are anxiously awaiting word from New Albany to learn the outcome of the case. Unless word is received within a few days, the father will probably go to New Albany to look after his son's interests.

Feed Notice.

I have a lot of rye on hand that I want to grind and get rid of between now and August 25, that I will sell at a very low price. I also grind rye for farmers at anytime for feed.

I have plenty of Schumacher Hog feed on hand at a very low price and plenty of Alfalfa Molasses horse feed. G. H. Anderson.

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Mrs. Frank Spanagel is spending a few days at Indianapolis with her sister, Mrs. James Honan, who recently underwent an operation at the St. Vincent Hospital.

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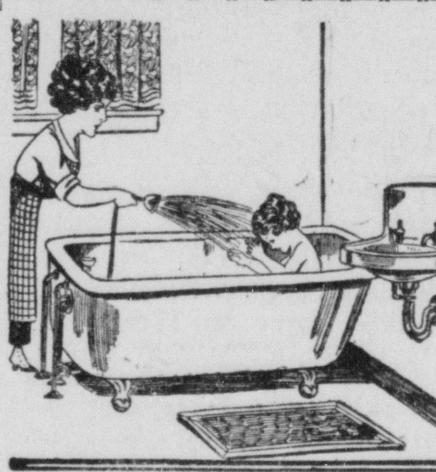
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The bands will also furnish music in the business district throughout the day. The afternoon addresses will be given at Shields Park and the program is scheduled to begin at 2:30 o'clock and will be concluded about 4 o'clock. W. J. Bryan will speak at 7:30. He will arrive here on the special train that is to be run from North Vernon, arriving here about 7 o'clock.

The decoration committee will see that flags and National Colors are floated throughout the city and at

Shields Park. Several hundred colored lights will be hung at the park grounds. The auditorium and stage will also be decorated. Fred Abel is chairman of this committee. He has been out of the city, and has just arrived home and is giving his undivided attention to this work.

Company K, the Regimental Band and other visiting Sammies will be served with an elaborate dinner at the New Lynn Hotel dining room at noon. The menu has been contributed by Seymour and Jackson county people and the report which was filed by A. E. Murphy, a member of the committee, shows that none of the boys will leave the table hungry.

Southern Indiana's Great Patriotic Day

Under the Auspices of the Indiana Food Conservation Commission—To be Held at

Seymour, Ind., Saturday, August 25

Only two of these big demonstrations are to be held in Indiana. The first was recently held at Plymouth, Ind., for the northern part of the State, and the State Food Commission has designated Seymour for the second because it is easily accessible by rail, traction and highway from all sections of Southern Indiana.

Patriotic Speeches - Amusements - Attractions

William Jennings Bryan

America's Foremost Orator, Has Donated His Services for This Occasion.

PROF. G. I. CHRISTIE, State Food Administrator, and Other Notables Will Also Give Addresses

Exhibition Drills

By special permission of the War Department COMPANY K will pay their fare well

visit to their home town before going to their mobilization training camp, and will execute the drills of real Sammies.

Two Bands

The SECOND INDIANA INFANTRY REGIMENTAL BAND of 30 pieces—the pride of the state—will furnish music the

entire day. SEYMOUR CONCERT BAND, of 50 pieces, will also assist in entertaining the throngs.

AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

The Greatest Patriotic Celebration in the History of Southern Indiana. Thousands Will Be Present to Enjoy This Memorable Occasion and Renew Their Loyalty to the Flag.

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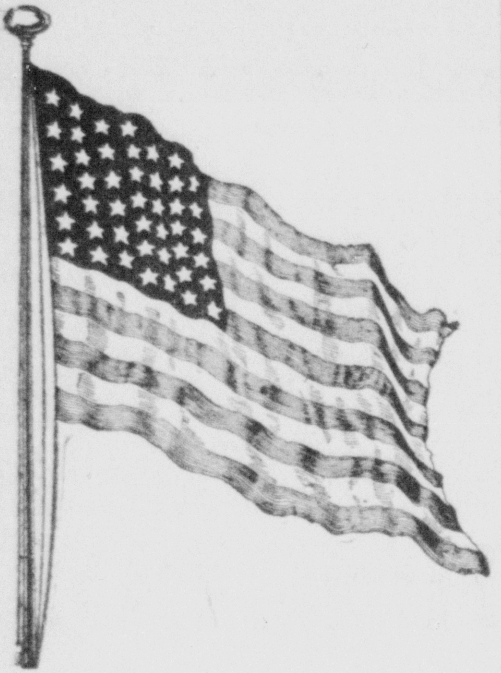
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1917.



REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

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Third—Windom Goss.
Fourth—Eugene Ireland.
Fifth—Henry Roegge.

GERMANY'S TANGLED WEB
(St. Louis Globe Democrat)

Dr. Kuno Meyer touched a button to illuminate many things in an article contributed by him to a recent issue of the Tageslicher Nuedschau, entitled, "Our War Aims in Enemy Eyes." Even the reading of such excerpts as are cabled from Amsterdam forces some thought along lines of Scotch philosophy and metaphysics expressed in Scottish poetry. When Burns wrote that if some power would give us the gift "to see ourself as others see us" the vision "wad frae monie a blunder free us and foolish notion," he meant, of course, that the seeing must come first. With the Germans, according to Dr. Meyer's halting and guarded admissions, it has come last. Offering either a plea in abatement nor any direct condemnation of any specific affront to the world-sense, he yet succeeds in making it plain that Germany has, in his opinion, outlawed itself, while seeming to admit that it has now so enmeshed itself in its own devices that its only hope of escape is a cutting through with the sword. Which recalls that bit of wisdom from Scott:

"Oh, what a tangled web we weave,
When first we practice to deceive!"

Whether the Germans can have a sword many-edged enough to cut through this web of their own weaving is really less interesting, at the moment, than Dr. Meyer's admission of the fact that Germans themselves are unable to understand why, or how, their conduct of the war has aroused such world-wide animosity and resentment. He writes that on his return to Germany, last May nothing struck him more forcibly than the fact that, after three years of war, the people there were still puzzled as to why the whole world should be against them, and still were trying, apparently with hope of success, to clear the German point of view. He admits that such a clearing of that viewpoint is impossible now and he is sure of the genuineness of the anti-German feeling. "It is a perfectly genuine feeling," he says, "although utterly unreasonable, and if we spoke with angel's voices we would still be refused a hearing."

The Scottish poets already quoted have told why. The Germans will see themselves as others see them when it is too late to avoid the blunders or free themselves of the foolish notion that the world should be willing to surrender natural rights, and rights recognized by international law and precedent, to further the military success of any one nation or group of nations. Prussia could have waged war on older lines of warfare without arousing a world antagonism. She waged such a war against Austria in 1866, and against France in 1870, without arousing protest or inviting estrangements. Victory and strength, inciting to madness among Prussian war lords, have led them into violations of the humanities and the rights of neutrals which may well inspire a fear

of world domination and oppression should they succeed. Every nation now arrayed against Germany feels that it is fighting for its own free existence. Germany has been unable to deceive the world and has woven its own tangled web in attempting it.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. David A. Baird, who has been ill at her home on Central avenue for the past three weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Margaret Kindred, who has been ill at her home on Central avenue for several weeks, is reported improving slowly.

T. N. Shepard, who has been ill at the home of W. O. Shepard, West Second street for some time, is much improved and is able to be about.

The work of remodeling the Eagles' Home on East Second street is progressing nicely. The contractors expect to have the building ready for use not later than October 1.

The Giger building occupied by Mansil D. Hughes' cigar and confectionary store, has been repainted, which adds much to the appearance of the business house.

S. R. Perkins, of Buffalo, Mo., has arrived here to be at the bedside of his brother-in-law, Mr. McCulley, who is ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGolgin.

A force of city employees are at work at the fire department removing the stalls formerly occupied by the fire horses. The space taken up by the stalls which had a ground floor will be cemented.

The condition of Rev. Franklin P. Smith, the pastor of the Central Christian church who underwent an operation recently at the Schneek Hospital, is improved today. Rev. Smith will be able to return to his home in about ten days.

Miss Marie Orr formerly of this city and a graduate of the Shields high school has accepted a position as third grade teacher at a ward school at Elkhart. Her mother, Mrs. Lettie Orr has gone to Elkhart where they will make their home.

Claude Carter received word from Col. Coulter, at Jeffersonville, this morning that Company K, and the Regimental Band would arrive here tomorrow morning. He said he was glad that the boys could return here. Col. Coulter will accompany the troops and will be the guest of Mr. Carter while in the city.

The condition of Miss Ora Droege, who was seriously injured in the automobile accident at Rockford several weeks ago, is rapidly improving. She is able to be up and around the house, but it will probably be several weeks before she can resume her work as book-keeper at the Shiel Hide & Leather Company office.

VETERAN PASSES AWAY
AT THE SOLDIERS' HOME

Howard Cordell, for Many Years a Resident of Seymour, Dies at Age of Ninety-four.

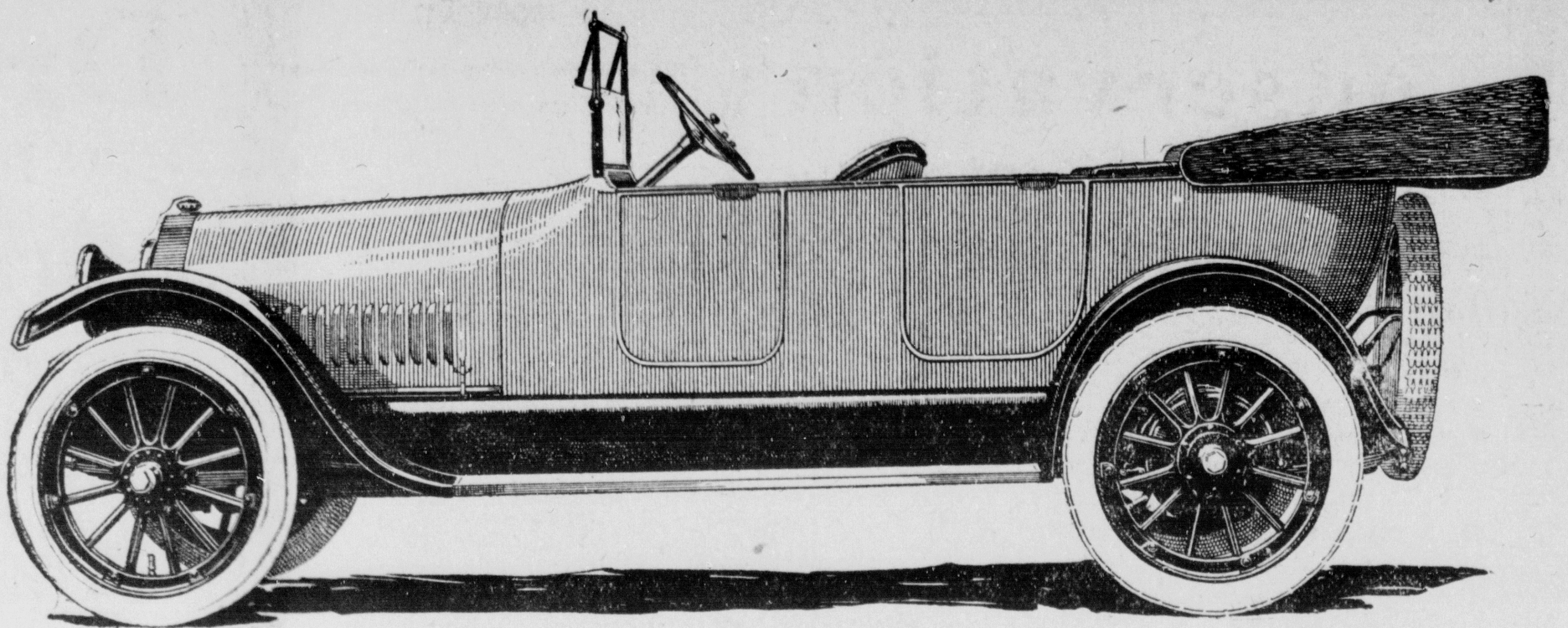
Howard Cordell, aged ninety-four years, for many years a resident of this city, died late Thursday at the Indiana Soldiers' Home at Marion where he had been living for several years. He had been in failing health for several years, but his condition became critical several months ago. He was born in Murphysboro, Ill., in 1823, and came to Seymour for residence after the close of the civil war.

Mr. Cordell served throughout the period of the war, enlisting soon after President Lincoln issued his first call for volunteers. He was made a prisoner and for months was held at the famous Andersonville Prison, finally escaping with a number of other Union men by digging a tunnel under the heavy wall. After the war he was employed as a wagon maker here.

He leaves four children: Mrs. M. O. Schwing, of St. Louis; Mrs. Estella Unger, of Rossville; Ed and Roy Cordell, of Indianapolis; six grand children: Mrs. Mabel Hamblin and Miss Edith Phillips, of Indianapolis; Miss Pearl Schwing, of St. Louis; Mrs. Daisy Jones and Mildred and Marian Cordell, of Seymour; and six great-grandchildren: Thelma, Francis and Charles Jones of this city, and Ruth, Harold and Lily Hamblin, of Indianapolis.

The funeral will be conducted at the Soldiers' Home Saturday. Burial there.

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Social Events

WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

Announcements were received here today of the marriage of Miss Bonnie Bennett, of Bloomfield, and Lieut. Carl Coeper, of Indianapolis, which took place at the home of the bride Saturday afternoon, August 18. Lieut. and Mrs. Coeper are expected here tomorrow to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blair, North Ewing street, and Miss Mary Lee Garbraith, North Mill street.

Both Lieut. and Mrs. Coeper are graduates of Indiana University and have a large number of friends in this city. The bride is a member of the Delta Gamma sorority and the groom is affiliated with the Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

ASSIST AT WEDDING.

Miss Ethel Rottman and her guests, Miss Anah Webb of Bedford, Miss Dorothy Thomas of Rushville, and Miss Genevieve Briggs of West Lafayette, have returned from Jeffersonville, where they assisted at the wedding of Miss Mary Clippinger and Captain Stanley Scott, of Vancouver, Washington, which took place at the Wall Street Methodist church at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. The services were read by the bride's father, Rev. H. C. Clippinger. Miss Thomas and Miss Briggs were the bridesmaids, and Miss Rottman, accompanied by Miss Webb, a violinist, sang a number of bridal airs during the ceremony.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

E. W. Donaldson formerly of this city, who lives at Topeka, Kansas, was the guest of honor at a dinner arranged by his wife and his daughter, Mrs. Dora Jenks last Wednesday, the occasion being his eighty-first birthday anniversary. His daughter, Mrs. C. H. Harsch and Mr. Harsch, of Kansas City, Kansas were among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson lived in this city for a number of years until about five years ago when they moved to Kansas. They are the parents of Mrs. C. M. Ingram, West Second street who received word this morning of the dinner party in Mr. Donaldson's honor.

EVENING PARTY.

About twenty members of the Good Cheer Circle of the First Baptist church, with Misses Anna Holland Carter, Lorene, Hazel and Ruth Stanfield, Edna and Frances Downs the committee in charge, entertained the remainder of the members with a beautifully appointed lawn party Thursday evening at the home of Miss Carter on west Fourth street. Japanese lanterns, which were lighted during the evening, were strung over the lawn, giving a festive note to the scene of the affair. Games were enjoyed during the evening and concluding the diversion a luncheon was served. Besides the members, Mrs. George Mascher and daughter, Florence, and Miss Edna Smith were guests.

ENJOY PICNIC.

The members of the Fanny Work Club of Dudleytown, and a number of invited guests enjoyed a delightful picnic Thursday afternoon at the Henry Krumme grove in Washington township. The club members

are Misses Selma and Emma Tie-meier, Emma Diemer, Hannah Flick, Agnes and Senora Miller and Irma and Elsie Snyder. Their guests included Misses Lena Bretthauer, Bertha Krumme and Amanda Tie-meier.

REBEKAH SOCIAL.

The August entertainment committee of the Rebekah Lodge entertained the members with a delightful social Thursday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. An interesting musical program as given and at the close of the evening a luncheon was served.

CHRISTIAN AID SOCIETY

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Christian church held their weekly sewing meeting this afternoon at the church parlor. The afternoon was spent in the usual pleasant manner and an informal social hour concluded the diversion.

AMITIE CLUB

Mrs. Ernest Walser was hostess to the members of the Amitie Club entertaining this afternoon at her home on West Fifth street. The guests spent the afternoon with needlework and later a dainty luncheon was served.

DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prall will entertain with a six o'clock dinner this evening at their home on Homestead avenue for Mr. and Mrs. George Paton and son, Roger, of Louisville, Ky., who are the guests of friends in this city.

FIVE HUNDRED PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Greeman entertained with a five hundred party Thursday evening at their home on West Fourth street for their guest, Miss Laura Greeman, of Quincy, Ill. Concluding the play an attractive luncheon was served.

WOMEN NOT REQUIRED
TO GIVE FRUIT TO U. S.

Explanation Made of Purpose of Canning and Hoover Conservation Cards.

Women of Indiana are not being asked to sign the Canning and Hoover food conservation cards in order that a federal agent, at some later date, may exact from them, without payment, the fruits and vegetables they have preserved for the approaching winter.

No one will be called upon to furnish the United States government with supplies, whether it be in food for the soldiers or bullets for the guns, without being paid a fair and reasonable price.

The signing of the canning cards, as has been oft repeated, is solely for the purpose of assisting in the compilation of a survey of the available food stuff in the country, so that when the emergency exists the national food administrator will have an idea where the food is, and what is its relative value.

The Hoover cards are intended altogether to identify the patriotic housewife with an educational movement that has for its object the

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conservation of food, the elimination of waste and the substitution of something equally nourishing for some of the meat and the wheat the American people must now share with their allies, if the war against Germany is to be won.

The service cards are for use by the census department of the government, which if called upon expects to be able to point out to the authorities where available women may be found, who are capable and willing to substitute for the manpower withdrawn from business and the industries.

No women will be asked to give up any of the food she has preserved for the use of the federal government, except that she offers same for sale and receives a fair price in return. Absolutely none of it will be taken from her forcibly. It is only those who attempt to influence the market by hoarding, who will feel the weight of Uncle Sam's mailed fist.

No women will be forced into any

sort of involuntary service, even though she may have all the essential qualifications for replacing a man. She will be given the opportunity to volunteer to do this work, if the government finds occasion to call on women, or needs them, but she retains her personal and individual rights to serve or not, as she chooses.

Friends of the Kaiser are seeking to interfere with the work of enrolling the women of the state. The State Council of Defense vouchers for the truth as set forth above. Women who understand are asked to assist in removing any doubt that may linger in the minds of those who have been deluded by traitors.

Sunday Night Services.

The Rev. W. H. Wylie, superintendent of the Seymour M. E. district, will deliver the sermon at the Union service at Shields park Sunday night. This will be the last service to be held at the park by the City Ministerial Association.

Soldier Pictures

We will make one photograph free and will give a reduction on additional photographs if they are wanted for the mother or sweetheart of any soldier.

We have purchased the Ellis electric light from the Ellis studio and can make pictures at any time, day or night.

We also have the Ellis studio negatives and can make duplicates of any photos taken there.

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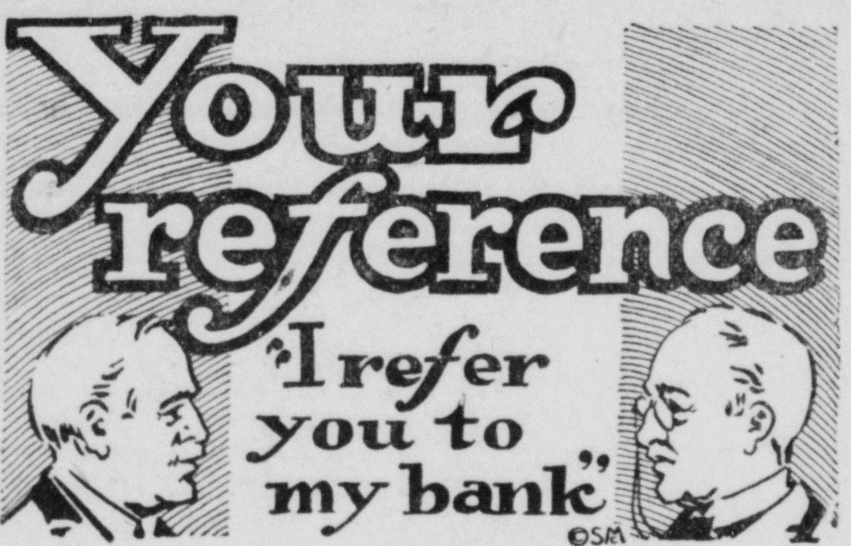
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SEYMOUR, INDIANA

PERSONAL

Mrs. Clara Long, of Hayden was shopping here this morning.

Milton Hazzard transacted business at Indianapolis Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Hunsucker, of Vallonia was a visitor in the city today.

Henry Vehslage, of Hamilton township, was here this afternoon.

Will Clark transacted business at Brownstown Thursday afternoon.

Miss Florence Deahl was a business visitor at Scottsburg Thursday.

Mack Whitecomb returned to his home at Lancaster, Ohio this morning.

Mrs. Thomas Wink, of Columbus spent the day with relatives in this city.

Miss Mary Richards, of Vallonia spent today in the city the guest of friends.

Miss Carol Wohrer, of Hayden was here Thursday the guest of friends for the day.

Miss Edna Gorben, of Crothersville is spending a few days here with friends.

Mrs. Mike Hauerperger and children, of Thomasboro, Ill., are the guests of Mrs. Walter Hyatt.

Miss Norma Noelker, of Aurora is visiting a few days here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sauer.

Mrs. John Grelle and daughter, Miss Esther, spent Thursday at Louisville the guests of friends.

Mrs. Jessie Williams and son and Mrs. Henry Largent spent the day with relatives and friends at Mitchell.

Miss Katherine McLaughlin has returned from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Indianapolis.

Miss Gladys Davis, of Cincinnati arrived here yesterday to visit for two weeks with Mrs. A. W. Richart.

Mrs. Ira Ross, of Butlerville arrived here today to visit Mrs. Bertha Johnson and family for the week-end.

Lieut. Glen I. Tucker, of Greencastle was here yesterday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rottman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hazzard, of Seipio are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Doughty, North Ewing street.

P. B. Ewan and wife, of North Vernon, were the guests Thursday of their daughter, Mrs. H. A. Cobbs, R. R. 8.

Master Allen Johnson, of Stilesville is spending a few days here the guest of Mack Shiel, East Second street.

Mrs. J. B. Parker and son, Robert went to Cincinnati this morning to visit with relatives and friends for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Perkins, of Indianapolis were here this morning enroute to French Lick for a short visit.

Mrs. Lura Gibson, of Indianapolis, is spending a week here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cobb, Route 8.

Mrs. George Schwenk, of Indianapolis, arrived here Thursday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Pennoek.

Miss Jennie McCafferty, of New Albany was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sensbach, East Fourth street, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Malick and children, who have been spending a month at Rochester and Laporte returned home today.

Mrs. J. E. McMullen arrived here this afternoon to spend Patriotic day with relatives before going to Osgood for a visit.

Mrs. W. E. Hoadley has returned home after spending several days at Columbus the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Williams.

Mrs. William Caslin, of Louisville, is the guest of her brother, the Rev. William A. Schuff, pastor of the German M. E. church.

Mrs. F. M. Baker and children, of Indianapolis, came this morning to spend a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stratton have returned to their home on South Chestnut street after a short visit with friends at Cincinnati.

Mrs. H. S. Coryell and children returned to their home at Franklin this morning after spending a few days here with relatives.

Mrs. Carl James, of near Crothersville, was shopping here this afternoon and will visit until after Patriotic day with friends.

Mrs. Herman Gowns returned to her home at Vincennes this morning after spending a month here with her son, Carl Gowns and family.

Miss Rosaline Weathers, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Hopkins for a few days returned to her home at Brownstown this morning.

Mrs. Henry C. Turnall returned to her home at Brownstown this morning after visiting her sister, Mrs. Laura Harlow for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Quadde and children, of Brownstown were here this morning enroute to Indianapolis to spend a fortnight with relatives.

John Stuckwish, who has been the

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Mr. and Mrs. Amos Long, of Tampico were here this morning enroute to Kokomo where they were called on account of the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Lola Gearhart.

Mrs. J. A. Hanning, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Parker for a few days returned to her home at Hayden this morning after spending a short time with friends in this city.

Mrs. L. D. Robertson went to Reddington this morning to spend the day. She will be accompanied home by her niece, Miss Gladys Welch, who has been spending several days in Reddington.

"THE WORLD DO MOVE"

Burma has the principal jade mine in the world.

Artificial ageing of wine by the use of ultra-violet rays is being subjected to experiment by French vintners.

An alarm which shows when vapor is leaking from gasoline pipes in garages has been invented by an Englishman.

A composition of soapstone and asbestos comprises the body of a new electric stove used for light cooking and heating rooms.

A decoy duck that, while swimming about in water, emits realistic "quacks," has been invented by an Oklahoma sportsman.

A form of yeast to be mixed with stock foods, which will increase their nourishing qualities, is being manufactured by German breweries.

A tool for removing boiler scale which delivers 8,000 hammering and tearing strikes each minute has been invented by an Englishman.

A machine using rock dust for interior application in mine chambers for the purpose of preventing mine explosions has been invented.

A number of aluminum fins attached to the usual iron fins of an air-cooled motor have been found to increase heat radiation to a marked degree.

REGULAR ARMY SOLDIERS TO AID HOUSTON CITIZENS (Continued from first page)

the police, when the police arrested a negro woman at Camp Logan. A negro soldier escorting the woman objected. The police said, and was arrested. Another negro interfered and he, too, was arrested. This was a signal for a general mobilization of the rioters and eighty of them fully armed marched into the city pouring shots into homes wherever a light showed.

Lieut. Coma E. Davis, who has been in the Training Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, was in Seymour Thursday enroute to Maumee, where he will spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis, before going to Louisville.



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The Call

Your country calls. You dare not be less brave Than those heroic dead who gladly died Struggling to give her birth. What'er betide. Through calm and storm, the heritage they gave Must still live on, till freedom's flag shall wave O'er all the earth, till the onswelling tide Of tyranny be stemmed, till peace abide O'er bloodstained field and unknown hero's grave. Ours is the task to speed the glad some day. Of which the prophets sang, when war shall be No more, when through the darkness of the night Shall come the dawn, when panoplied array Shall vanish neath the sun of liberty As the power of night through the triumph of right. —Mille Cowen in Chicago Tribune

John Jonas Dead.

Word was received here today of the death of John Jonas, aged fifty years, a former resident of this city. His death occurred in Chicago. He was a son of the late John Jonas, of this city. The remains will be brought here and burial will take place at Riverview cemetery.

Train Will Stop.

The northbound Pennsylvania train due in this city at 8:20 will make special stops at Jonesville, Waynesville and Walesboro Saturday night in order to accommodate people from there who will come here to attend the Patriotic Day celebration.

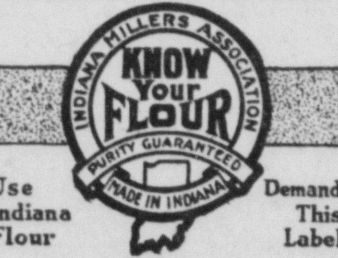
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Magic Soap, bar.....5c
Flake White Soap, bar...5c
Fels Naptha Soap, bar...6c
Ivory Soap, bar.....6c
Small Pet Milk, can.....6c
10 lb. bucket White Karo Syrup for.....75c

10 lb. bucket Dark Syrup 70c
Pinto Beans, dried, lb..14c
Fancy long head Rice, lb. 9c
New Club Shells, 4, 5 & 6 shot, box.....69c
2 for \$1.35
70 lb. bag Salt for.....65c
280 lb. bbl. Salt for...\$1.98

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Fancy Patent Flour, per bag.....\$1.50
Cooking apples, per peck.....30c.

Cooking apples, peck.....30c
Bacon for seasoning, lb.....25c
Flake White soap, bar.....5c
Lenox soap, 6 bars.....25c
Rub No More soap, 6 bars.....29c
Climax soap, large bar, 6 bars for.....24c
Gloss soap, 6 bars.....29c
White Line washing powder, 6 packages.....29c
Hershey's Cocoa, 1 lb can.....34c
Hershey's Cocoa, 1/2 lb can.....19c
Hershey's Cocoa, 1-5 lb. can, 2 for.....15c
Imported pinto beans, 2 lbs.....25c

Tomato catsup, 16 oz. bottle 19c
Tomato catsup 12 oz bottle 15c
Tomato catsup 10 oz bottle 12c
Large can pumpkin, 9c or 3 cans for.....25c
Red Beans, 2 cans for.....25c
Pork and beans, per can.....15c
Bulg coffee, per lb.....15c
Large Post Toasties pkge. 14c
Shredded wheat, package.....14c
Good brooms.....45c and up
Quart tin cans, per doz.....55c
10c. Jar rings, 2 for.....15c
5c. Jar rings, 3 for.....10c
Sealing wax, 3 sticks for.....10c

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Lenox Soap, 6 bars.....25c
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A DENTIST'S FORMULA

Twenty Years Ago Today

Taken from the files of the Seymour Republican:

Henry Hess and sister, Miss Lula, after a visit with relatives in Seymour, returned to their home at Vernon.

Peter Nichter is delivering material on the ground at the corner of Vine and High street for the erection of a handsome new two-story residence of seven rooms. Mr. Nichter is a pusher.

J. L. Kyte, of Walesboro, after a business visit to his brother, H. R. Kyte, returned home last night.

Moses Siefker threshed 112 bushels of wheat in 55 minutes for John Hamilton, of Redding township, Monday. Mr. Hamilton was so well pleased with the work that he set a fine dinner and furnished an abundance of cream.

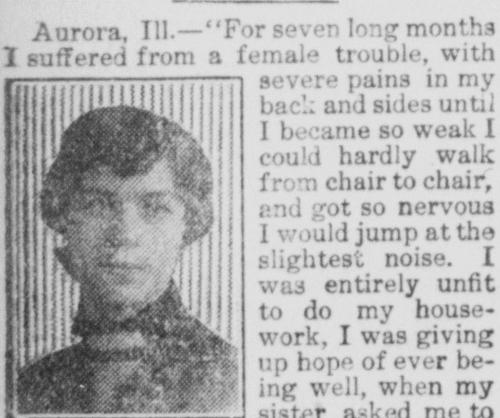
Many of the young people attended a picnic at Rapp's grove today.

Lightning's Capers.

During the storm yesterday the lightning struck the back part of the house occupied by E. A. Remy and family, corner of Fifth and Chestnut.

MRS. KIESO SICK SEVEN MONTHS

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Aurora, Ill.—"For seven long months I suffered from a female trouble, with severe pains in my back and sides until I became so weak I could hardly walk from chair to chair, and got so nervous I would jump at the slightest noise. I was entirely unfit to do my housework. I was giving up hope of ever being well, when my sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took six bottles and today I am a healthy woman able to do my own housework. I wish every suffering woman would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and find out for themselves how good it is."—Mrs. CARL A. KIESO, 696 North Ave., Aurora, Ill.

The great number of unsolicited testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory, many of which are from time to time published by permission, are proof of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, in the treatment of female ills.

Every ailing woman in the United States is cordially invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free, will bring you health and may save your life.

Sunday School Lesson

Lesson IX.

August 26.

CAPTIVITY OF JUDAH. 2 Kings 25: 1-21.

GOLDEN TEXT—As I live, saith the Lord Jehovah, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked.—Ezek. 33:11.

The topic of this lesson is the captivity of Judah, for, although such men as Hezekiah and Josiah did what they could to turn the people from their sins to the Lord, the results were only partial and temporary, and their sins increased. The Lord God had compassion on them, notwithstanding their rebellion against Him, and sent them His messengers, His servants the prophets, to tell them of His love and His readiness to forgive them and bless them if only they would turn to Him with the whole heart, but they mocked the messengers of God and despised His words and misused His prophets until the wrath of the Lord arose against His people, till there was no remedy (II Chron. xxxvi, 15, 16). Many times He had told them in the beginning of their national history how He would bless them in the land He had given them if only they would obey Him and honor Him and keep themselves from the idolatries of other nations. See for example Lev. xxvi, 1-13.

He told them just as plainly what He would do to them and how He would punish them if they would not hearken to Him and keep His commandments (Lev. xxvi, 14-39). Three times in that chapter He told them that if they persisted in disobedience He would punish or chastise them seven times for their sins, an expression which we will consider later in our lesson (Lev. xxvi, 18, 24, 28). Not only during their wilderness journey, but also while the judges ruled, and afterward when He gave them kings. He many a time forgave their iniquity and delivered them and saved them for His name's sake (Ps. lxxviii, 38; cvi, 8, 43), but the time had come when there was no remedy but the captivity.

Josiah was succeeded by four kings, three sons and a grandson, each of whom did evil in the sight of the Lord, and during the twenty-two years of their reigns Judah was carried into captivity in three different companies until all but the very poorest were carried away. The fourth year of Jehoia-kim was the first year of Nebuchadnezzar, and in that year, which would be about 606 B. C., some of the princes, including Daniel and others, and part of the vessels of the house of God were carried to Babylon (Jer. xxi, 1; Dan. i, 1-3). About seven years later Jehoia-kim, who reigned only three months, was taken to Babylon, with his mother and servants and princes and officers and 10,000 others (perhaps 18,000) II Kings xxiv, 8, 16, and this was the second deportation. Eleven years later, in the nineteenth year of Nebuchadnezzar, the captivity of Judah

was completed by the carrying away of Zedekiah and the rest of the people, except the poor, who were left to be vinedressers and husbandmen. Then was the house of the Lord burned and the remaining vessels destroyed or carried away (II Kings xxv, 1-17). Then was fulfilled the strange prediction through Ezekiel concerning Zedekiah, "I will bring him to Babylon, yet shall he not see it," for after his sons were slain before his eyes they put out his eyes and bound him and carried him to Babylon (Ezek. xii, 13; Kings xxv, 7).

However seemingly impossible any prediction of the Lord may appear, it will surely be literally fulfilled in His time, either by a near or a far distant fulfillment, or oftentimes by both, for as one has said, prophecy may have many a germinal fulfillment, while the full accomplishment may be still in the future. The Lord had said through Jeremiah that this punishment of Judah would continue seventy years and that then they would return, and so it came to pass, as we shall see in future lessons (Jer. xxv, 12; II Chron. xxxvi, 20-23). Because Israel rejected their Messiah, when in the fullness of time He came to them, they have ever since been scattered among all nations, and He said that Jerusalem would be trodden down by the gentiles until the times of the gentiles be fulfilled.

The times of the gentiles began with Nebuchadnezzar, 606 B. C., and correspond with the seven times already referred to in this lesson, during which God said that He would punish Israel for their sins. According to Dan. xi, 13, margin, times are years, and in Num. xiv, 34, there is a way of the Lord revealed, wherein He used years for days. Seven times 360, the days in a Scriptural year, equals 2,520, which seems to cover the seven times of Israel's punishment in Lev. xxvi, or the times of the gentiles. Now, 606 B. C., added to 1914, the year in which the present European war began, gives 2,520, and there seems therefore to be good reason for believing that the times of the gentiles began to run out in 1914. As they began gradually with the three deportations of Judah referred to in this lesson, so it may require eighteen years, more or less, to end them. Since, then, we are already in the beginning of the end of these times, how fully occupied we should be in giving the gospel to help complete the church, the body of Christ, and hasten the coming of the kingdom of righteousness and peace, always expecting to be caught up any day and yet ready to continue here in His service or be absent from the body and present with the Lord.

U BOATS EQUIPPED WITH DEVICES TO CUT NETS

Have Motor Driven Circular Saws Which Protrude From Both Sides of Craft.

From reports that reach us from Europe we learn that Germany has equipped some of her U boats with ingenious devices to enable them to cut their way through submarine nets. One boat with a double flange of thin sheet steel protruding from both sides of the bow is said to have been destroyed by shell fire, and the device itself, practically intact, is said to be in the hands of the British admiralty. A second boat, equipped with heavy motor driven circular knives attached to steel hawsers, torpedoed a merchantman, and the captain while in a small boat made a drawing of the device for the admiralty.

Illustrations in the September issue of the Popular Science Monthly give a clear idea of these net cutters. The double flange of thin sheet steel which protrudes from both sides of the bow of the submarine is operated by electrically controlled gears. The flanges spread on either side of the bow to a distance of eighteen feet, or thirty-six feet in all, whenever the nose of the vessel touches an obstruction. Their action is said to be automatic, although an operator within the boat can extend or withdraw the device at any time by moving two heavy metal arms.

The U boat equipped with the circular knives is obviously far better able to cut its way through a net than the boat just described. It does not

bother about a device at the bow, figuring, no doubt, that the sharp nose of the vessel and its rounded hull are sufficient to get through a net or stop the boat before it becomes entangled. However, it does not permit its conning tower to go unprotected. Several strands of stout steel hawsers containing motor driven knives a foot in diameter and placed about a foot apart are stretched from the bow through the conning tower to the stern. Striking a net, the knives would revolve on a flexible shaft.

TO SHORTEN ARMY COAT.

Baker to Follow Pershing's Advice Regarding Uniforms.

While Secretary of War Baker declined to approve suggested changes in the regulation army coat, it is believed he will approve several recommendations concerning modifications of uniform which have been received from General Pershing.

These changes are all based upon trench conditions as found by General Pershing. It is suggested that the overcoat and "slicker" be shortened to knee length to remove the interference while walking in a narrow trench. Another suggestion is that a knitted skull cap be added to the equipment of every soldier, to be worn under the trench helmet.

General Pershing also recommended the adoption of a jacket made of leather and blanket lined, instead of the present fleece lined garment; changes in the length of gloves and in the type of puttees now issued were proposed.

Nothing raises the price of a blessing like its removal, whereas it was its continuance which should have cost us its value.—Hannah More.

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ICELESS ICE BOXES CAN EASILY BE MADE AT HOME

Dr. H. E. Barnard Tells How Every Kitchen Can be Equipped with This Cooler.

Indianapolis, August 24.—Instruction for building iceless ice boxes was given today by Harry E. Barnard state food director, in an article written for the United Press. He said:

We have come to think it necessary to use ice to keep cool in the summer just as we use coal in the winter to keep warm. There is no way to keep warm except by burning fuel, but it is possible to do without ice in summer weather. Although the refrigerator is a very useful piece of furniture, a good ice box ought to be installed in every kitchen.

When ice cannot be obtained an iceless refrigerator cooled by the evaporation of water can be easily constructed. The experts at Washington have devised a single apparatus which can be made at home at small expense which will give a temperature quite as low as that given by the average ice box.

The government refrigerator consists of a wooden frame covered with Canton flannel, burlap, or heavy duck. It is desirable that the frame be screened, although this is not necessary. Wicks, made of the same material as the covering, resting in a pan of water on the top of the cooler conducts the water over the sides of the pan and allows it to seep down the sides of the box. The evaporation from this moistened covering causes a lower temperature inside.

Make a screened case three and one-half feet high with the other dimensions twelve by fifteen inches. If a solid top is used, simply place the water pan on this. Otherwise fit the pan closely into the opening of the top frame and support it by one inch shelves in the frame, twelve or fifteen inches apart, use a biscuit pan twelve by fourteen inches on the top to hold the water, and where the refrigerator is to be used indoors have the whole thing standing in a large pan to catch any drip. The pans and case may be painted white, allowed to dry then enameled. A covering of white Canton flannel should be made to fit the frame. Have the smooth side out and button the covering on the frame with buggy or automobile curtain hooks and edges, arranged so that the door may be opened without unfastening these hooks. This can easily be done by putting one row of hooks on the edge of the door near the latch and the other just opposite the opening with the hem on each side extended far enough to cover the crack at the edge of the door so as to keep out the warm, outside air and retain the cooled air. This covering will have to be hooked around the top edge also. Two double strips one-half the width of each covering and allowed to extend over about two and one-half or three inches in the pan of water. The bottom of the covering could extend into the lower pan.

Baptist Choir.

All members of the First Baptist church choir will meet at the church tonight for rehearsal, at 7:30 o'clock.

E. W. Lewis, route agent for the Wells-Fargo express company spent Wednesday at Columbus transacting business.

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Flour\$1.50@1.55
Corn\$1.60
Oats\$.60
Rye\$1.30
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Straw, oats, ton.....\$8.50
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Geese, per lb.....10c
Ducks, per pound.....11c
Old Toms, per pound.....13c
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Butter28c
Tallow7c
Hides, No. 1.....15c
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By United Press.

August 24, 1917.

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No. 3 white.....\$1.87½@1.89½
No. 3 yellow.....\$1.87½@1.89½
No. 3 mixed.....\$1.82½@1.84½
OATS—Strong.
No. 3 white.....55½@56¼
No. 3 mixed.....62½@63½
HAY—Firm.
No. 1 timothy.....\$19.50@20.00
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No. 1 clover mixed.....\$16.50
No. clover.....\$16.00@17.00

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Steers\$ 7.50@15.55
Cows and heifers.....\$ 9.50@11.25
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INDIANS AS FIGHTERS.

Canadian Officers Advise Their Use With American Forces.

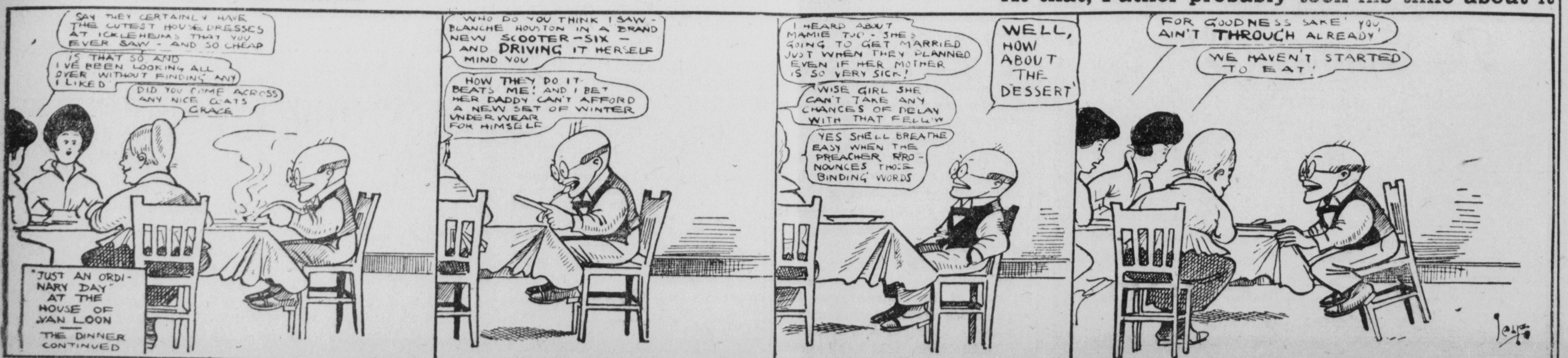
Canadian officers on leave in London from the French front have informally recommended to American officials that American Indians be employed or enlisted for service with the American expeditionary forces. Manitoba Indians with the Canadians have done excellent work at scouting.

"These Indians with us," said a captain with the Canadian forces whose parents live in Philadelphia, "have performed services that never could have been performed by a white man. The Indian of North America has it in his bones to be a good fighter and a crafty one. We have Indians in nearly every regiment. Again and again during the past two years I have seen them go out at night between the trenches and, without firing a shot, without making the slightest disturbance, come back leading half a dozen or so Germans

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CHAPTER IX.

The Bitter Fruit.

Fortune had a hearty contempt for persons who ate their breakfast in bed. For her the glory of the day was the fresh fairness of the morning, when every one's step was buoyant, and all life stirred energetically. There was cheer and hope everywhere; men faced their labors with clear eye and feared nothing; women sang at their work. It was only at the close of day that despair and defeat stalked the highways. So she was up with the sun, whether in her own garden or in these odd and mystical cities. Thus she saw the native as he was, not as he later in the day pretended to be, for the benefit of the Feringhi about to be stretched upon the sacrificial stone. She saw, with gladness, the honey-bee thrilling the rose, the plowman's share baring the soil; the morning, the morning, the two or three hours that were all, all her own. Her mother was always fribble and peevish in the morning, and her uncle never developed the gift of speech till after luncheon.

She had the same love of prowling that lured Ryanne from the beaten paths. She was not inquisitive but curious, and that ready disarming smile of hers opened many a portal.

She was balancing upon her gloved palm, thoughtfully, a Soudanese head-trinket, a pendant of twisted gold-wires, flawed emeralds and second pearls, really exquisite and not generally to be found outside the expensive shops in the European quarters, and there infrequently. The merchant wanted twenty pounds for it. Fortune shook her head, regretfully. It was far beyond her means. She sighed.



"Ten Pounds," Repeated Ryanne, a Hand in His Pocket.

Only once in a great while she saw something for which her whole heart cried out. This pendant was one of these.

"I will give you five pounds for it. That is all I have with me."

"Salaam, madame," said the jeweler, reaching for the pendant.

"If you will send it to the Hotel Semiramis this afternoon . . ." But she faltered at the sight of the merchant's incredulous smile.

"I'll give you ten for it; not a pester more. I can get one like it in the Sharia Kamei for that amount."

Both Fortune and the merchant turned.

"You, Horace?"

"Yes, my child. And what are you doing here alone, without a dragon?"

"Oh, I have been through here alone many times. I'm not afraid. Isn't it beautiful? He wants twenty pounds for it, and I cannot afford that."

She had not seen him in many weeks, yet she accepted his sudden appearance without question or surprise. She was used to his turning up at unexpected moments. Of course, she had known that he was in Cairo; where her mother and uncle were this secretive man was generally within calling. There had been a time when she had eagerly plied him with questions, but he had always erected barriers of evasion, and finally she ceased her importunities, for she concluded that her questions were such. No matter to whom she turned, there was no one to answer her questions, questions born of doubt and fear.

"Ten pounds," repeated Ryanne, a hand in his pocket.

The merchant laughed. Here were a young man and his sweetheart. His experience had taught him, and not unwisely, that love is an easy victim, too proud to haggle, too generous to bargain sharply. "Twenty," he reiterated.

"Salaam!" said Ryanne. "Good day!" He drew the somewhat resisting hand of Fortune under his arm and made for the door. "Sh!" he whispered. "Leave it to me." They gained the street.

The merchant was dazed. He had misjudged what he now recognized as an old hand. The two were turning up another street when he ran out, shouting to them and waving the pendant. Ryanne laughed.

"Ten pounds. I am a poor man, efendi, and I need the money. Ten pounds. I am giving it away." The merchant's eyes filled with tears, a trick left to him from out of the ruins of his youth, that ready service to forestall the merited rod.

Ryanne counted out ten sovereigns and put the pendant in Fortune's hand. And the pleasure in his heart was such as he had not known in many days. The merchant wisely hurried back to his shop.

"But . . ." she began protestingly.

"Tut, tut! I have known you since you wore short dresses and tam-o-shanters."

"I really cannot accept it as a gift. Let me borrow the ten pounds."

"And why can't you accept a little gift from me?"

She had no ready answer. She gazed steadily at the dull pearls and the flaky emeralds. She could not ask him where he had got those sovereigns. She could not possibly be so cruel. She could not dissemble in words like her mother. That gold she knew to be a part of a dishonest bargain whose forestep had been a theft—more, a sacrilege. Her honesty was like pure gold, unalloyed, unmixed with sophistic subterfuges. That the young man who had purchased the rug might be mildly peccable had not yet occurred to her.

"Why not, Fortune?" Ryanne was very earnest, and there was a pinch at his heart.

"Because . . ."

"Don't you like me just a little?"

"Why, I do like you, Horace. But I do not like any man well enough to accept expensive gifts from him. I do not wish to hurt you, but it is impossible. The only concession I'll make is to borrow the money."

"Well, then, let it go at that." He was too wise to press her.

"And can you afford to throw away ten pounds?" with assumed lightness. "My one permanent impression of you is the young man who was always forced to borrow car-fare whenever he returned from Monte Carlo."

"A fool and his money. But I'm a rich man now," he volunteered. And briefly he sketched the exploit of the Yliordes rug.

"It was very brave of you. But has it ever occurred to you that it wasn't honest?"

"Honest?" frankly astonished that she should question the ethics. "Oh, I say, Fortune; you don't call it dishonest to get the best of a pagan! Aren't they always getting the best of us?"

"If you had bargained with him and beaten him down, it would have been different. But, Horace, you stole it; you admit that you did."

"I took my life in my hands. I think that evened up things."

"No. And you sold it to Mr. Jones?"

"Yes, and Mr. Jones was only too glad to buy it. I told him the facts. He wasn't particularly eager to bring up the ethics of the case. Why, child, what the deuce is a Turk? I shouldn't cry out if some one stole my Bible."

"Good gracious! do you carry one?"

"Well, there's always one on the room-stand in the hotels I patronize."

"I suppose it all depends upon how we look at things."

"That's it. A different pair of spectacles for every pair of eyes."

If only he weren't in love with her! thought the girl. He would then be an amusing comrade. But whenever he met her he quietly pressed his suit. He had never spoken openly of love, for which she was grateful, but his attentions, his little kindnesses, his unobtrusive protection when those other men were at the villa, made the reading between the lines no difficult matter.

"What shall you do if this Mahomed you speak of comes?"

"Turn him loose upon our friend Jones," with a laugh.

"And what will he do to him?"

"Carry him off to Bagdad and chop off his head," Ryanne jested.

"Tell me, is there any possibility of Mr. Jones coming to harm?"

"Can't say." Her concern for Percival annoyed him.

"Is it fair, when he paid you generously?"

He did not look into the grave eyes. They were the only pair that ever disconcerted him. "My dear Fortune, it's a question which is the more valuable to me, my skin or Percival's."

"It isn't fair."

"From my point of view it's fair enough. I warned him; I told him the necessary facts, the eventual dangers. He accepted them all with the Yliordes. I see nothing unfair in the deal, since I risked my life in the first place."

"And why must you do these desperate things?"

"Oh, I love excitement. My one idea in life is to avoid the humdrum."

"Is it necessary to risk your life for these excitements? Is your life nothing more to you than something to experiment with?"

"Truth, sometimes I don't know, Fortune. Sometimes I don't care. When one has gambled for big stakes, it is hard to play for penny points."

"A strong, healthy man like you ought not to court death."

"I do not seek it. My only temptation is to see how near I can get to the Man in the Shroud, as some poet calls it, without being touched. I'll make you my confessor. You see, it is like this. A number of wearied men recently formed a company whereby monotony became an obsolete word in our vocabulary. You must not think I'm jesting; I'm serious enough. This company ferrets out adventures and romances and sells them to men of spirit. I became a member, and the trip to Bagdad is the result. One never has to share with the company. The rewards are all yours. All one has to do is to pay a lump sum down for the adventure furnished. You work out the end yourself, unhindered and unassisted."

"Are you really serious?"

"Never more so. Now, Percival Algernon has always been wanting an adventure, but the practical side of him has made him hold aloof. I told him about this concern, and he refuses to believe in it. So I am going to undertake to prove it to him. This is confidential. You will say nothing, I know."

"He will come to no harm physically."

"Lord, no! It will be mild and innocuous. Of course, if any one told him that an adventure was toward his especial benefit, it would spoil all. I can rely upon your silence?"

She was silent. He witnessed her indecision with distrust. Perhaps he had said too much.

"Won't you promise? Haven't I always been kind to you, Fortune, times when you most needed kindness?"

"I promise to say nothing. But if any harm comes to that young man, either in jest or in earnest, I will never speak to you again."

"I see that, after getting Percival Algernon into an adventure, I've got to clear him safely out of it. Well, I accept the responsibility." Some days later he was going to recall this assurance.

"Sometimes I wonder . . ." pensively.

"Wonder about what?"

"What manner of man you are."

"I should have been a great deal better man had I met you ten years ago."

"What? When I was eleven?" with

a levity intended to steer him away from this channel.

"You know what I mean," he answered, moody and dejected.

She opened her purse and dropped the pendant into it, but did not speak.

"Ten years ago," abstractedly. "What a lot of things may happen in ten years! Deaths, births, marriages," he went on; "the snuffing out of kingdoms and republics; wars, panics, famine; honor to some and dishonor to others. It kind of makes a fellow grind his teeth, little girl; it kind of makes him shut his fists and long to run amuck."

"Why should a strong, intelligent man, such as you are, think like that? You are resourceful and unafraid. Why should you talk like that? You are young, too. Why?"

He stopped and looked full into her eyes. "Do you really wish to know?"

"Had I better?" with a wisdom beyond her years.

"No, you had better not. I'm not a good man, Fortune, as criterions go. I've slipped here and there; I've gambled and drunk and squandered my time. Why, in my youth I was as model a boy as ever was Percival. Where the divarication took place I can't say. There's always two forks in the road, Fortune, and many of us take the wrong one. It's easier going. Fine excuse; eh? Some persons would call me a scoundrel, a black-leg; in some ways, yes. But in the days to come I want you always to remember the two untarnished spots upon my shield of honor: I have never cheated a man at cards nor run away with his wife. The devil must give me these merits, however painful it may be to him. Ten years ago, only a decade; good Lord! it's like a hundred years ago, sometimes."

Fortune breathed with difficulty. Never before had he taken her into his confidence to such extent. She essayed to speak; the old terror seemed fairly to smother her. It was not what he had told her, but what she wished to but dared not ask. She was like Bluebeard's wife, only she had not the moral courage to open the door of the grisly closet. . . . Her mother, her uncle; what of them, ah, what of them? The crooked street vanished; the roar dwindled away; she was alone, all, all alone.

"I suppose I ought not to have told you," he said troubled at the misery he saw gathered in her eyes and vaguely conscious of what had written it there. "Your mother and uncle have been very kind to me. They know less of me than you do. I have been to them a kind of errand-boy; a happy-go-lucky fellow, who cheered them when they had the doldrums."

With forced cheerfulness he again took her hand and snuggled it under his arm, giving it a friendly reassuring pat. "I'll not speak to you of love, child, but a hair of your head is more precious to me than all Midas' gold. Whenever I've thought of you, I've tried to be good. Honestly."

"And can't you go back to the beginning and start anew?" tremulously.

"Can any one go back? The moving finger writes. An hour is a terrible thing when you look to see what can happen in it. But, come; sermons! I'd far rather see you smile. Won't you?"

"He Will Come to No Harm Physically."

She tried to, but to him it was sadder than her tears would have been.

For an hour they walked through the dim and musty streets. He exerted himself to amuse her and fairly succeeded. But never did the unaccountable fear, that presage of misfortune, sleep in her heart. And at last, when he took her to her carriage and bade her good-by till dinner, a half-formed idea began to grow in her brain; to save Mr. Jones without betraying Ryanne.

The latter's carriage was at the other end of the bazaars; so he strode sullenly through the press, rudely elbowing those who got in his way. An occasional curse was flung after him; but his height, his breadth of shoulder, his lowering face, precluded anything more active. The Moslems had a deal of faith in the efficacy of curses; so the jostled ones rested upon the promise of these, satisfied that directly, or in the near future, Allah would blast the unbelieving dog in his tracks.

What cleverness the mother and scallawag of an uncle had shown to have kept the child in ignorance all these years! That she saw darkly, as through a fog, he was perfectly sure. Sooner or later the storm would burst upon her innocent head, and then God alone knew what would become of her. Oh, damn the selfish, sordid world! At that instant a great long rolling over him to cut loose from all these evil webs, to begin anew somewhere, even if that somewhere were but a wilderness, a clearing in a forest.

This moment flashed and was gone.

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Next, he reviewed with chagrin and irritation the folly of his ultimatum of the preceding night. He had had not the slightest semblance of a plan in his head. Sifted down, he saw his savage and senseless humor and the desire to stir up discord. Gloconda was right. Fortune was above them all, in feeling, in instinct, in loyalty. What right had he, roisterer by night that he was, predaceous outlaw, what right had he to look upon Fortune as his own? Harm her! He would have lopped off his right hand first.

Well, he had but little time, and Percival Algernon called for prompt action. The young fool was smitten with Fortune. Any one could see that. As he shouldered his pathway to the carriage, his eyes seeing but not visualizing objects, three brown men glided in between him and the carriage-step.

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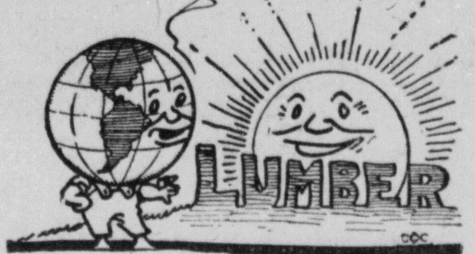
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PLOT IS RELATED
(Continued from first page)thrashers who were at work on the
farm and she told the stranger that
he could get a good meal there in a
short time. The stranger took pos-
session of a chair in the kitchen, ap-
parently weary and tired from his
journey.During the preparation of the meal
the housewife left the kitchen oc-
casionaly to go to the milkhouse
after milk, butter and eggs. After
she returned from one trip her little
five-year-old son called to her and
whispered that while she was out of
the kitchen the stranger had put
"something in the pot of beans" on
the stove. In a few minutes the hus-
band arrived from the field and his
wife told him what their son had
seen.The husband instructed his wife to
serve the meal to the thrashers first
and not to serve any of the beans.
After the thrashers had completed
their meal, the stranger was shown
to the table and one of the first dis-
hes offered to him was a plate of the
beans. He refused to take any of
them. A few minutes later he was
again asked to have some of the
beans and for the second time he re-
fused.The husband then procured his
trusty revolver and with the weapon
in his right hand and a plate of beans
in his left informed the stranger that
he must eat some of them. The
man protested, declaring he did not
like them. The husband insisted
leveling the revolver to the guest's
head. The stranger complied with the
command.That much of the story might have
passed the "censor" but the rumor
factory overlooked its hand when it
added that after the man ate the
beans he started to leave the house
and died before he had gone very
far down the road. In this day it's
very easy to verify the report of a
death. None of the undertakers
knew anything about the story and
the report had not reached the coun-
ty coroner, so it must be classed as
groundless. So far as known no
physician had been called to admin-
ister in a case which answered the
description of this bit of fiction.This is just an illustration of the
stories that are going the rounds.
They make good topics for conversa-
tion, but too many questions—such
as where the incident occurred, whothe parties are and what disposition
was made of the dead body—must be
withheld lest interest in the story
lags before it completes its round and
is finally forgotten.**PLAN TO CHEAPEN GASOLINE**Inventor Offers Government Process
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Production 200 Per Cent.Gasoline at seven cents a gallon is
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asserts that he has a kerosene pro-
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government, according to the Washing-
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ble for us to obtain from the same
amount of crude oil 9,000,000,000 gal-
lons of gasoline."Mr. Cherry, who is a member of the
American Institute of Electrical En-
gineers and other scientific societies,
believes that it is entirely possible by
converting kerosene into gasoline to
make motoring a great deal cheaper
and forever solve the problem of pro-
ducing sufficient gasoline to meet the
increasing demands for this important
product.**BRITISH SURGERY WONDERS.**Of 1,350 Men Maimed London Hospital
Returned 1,000 to Duty.Major J. E. Goldthwaite, an ortho-
pedic surgeon of the United States
army, returned to an Atlantic port af-
ter visiting the hospitals of France and
England to study the new methods of
treating the wounded.Out of a batch of 1,350 wounded sol-
diers who had been crushed and fear-
fully maimed by shells, he said, 1,000
had been so skillfully patched up by
the surgeons at the London Orthopedic
hospital that they were able to return
to duty.Major Goldthwaite was one of twenty
American medical officers who were
sent abroad by the government. He
said he had returned to recruit sur-
geons for study of war hospital condi-
tions in order that American soldiers
might later have the benefit of mod-
ern treatment from their own surgeons.Another passenger on the liner was
L. A. Post of Stamford, N. Y. who has
been in Mesopotamia for the Y. M. C. A.
He said that it was hotter in New
York than he had found it in the near
east except once, when the tempera-
ture was 105 degrees in the shade, and
the camels attached to the caravan
had to have palm leaves soaked in wa-
ter tied over their heads before they
would leave the oasis after the noon
meal. Mr. Post said he was in Bagdad
when the British troops captured the
city.**35 RECOMMENDED**
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